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Reply to Office Action of August 02, 2006

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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Favorable consideration of this application is respectfully requested. Claims 1 – 14 and Claim 20 were previously canceled in a Preliminary Amendment filed on 10/10/2003. Claims 15 – 19 are withdrawn because of a restriction requirement. Claims 21-26 are now pending. No new matter has been entered. Favorable reconsideration is earnestly solicited in view of the following remarks.

Applicants acknowledge the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment under 37 CFR 1.121 mailed on August 02, 2006. The Legal Instruments Examiner, Harold Smith, indicated that a complete listing of all of the claims is not present.

When Applicants filed the divisional application on 10/10/03 a preliminary Amendment accompanied the filing that canceled Claims 1 – 14 and Claim 20; thus the pending claims for the divisional application were understood to be Claims 15-19, and 21-26. Following a restriction requirement for the divisional application, Claims 15-19 are withdrawn and Claims 21-26 are now pending.


Applicants now submit the present amendment of the **corrected section** (Listing of Claims) of the non-compliant amendment filed by Applicants on July 25, 2006; this amendment provides a complete listing and status of the claims that were originally filed in the parent application, Serial no: 09/824,437, now U.S. Patent No. 6,670,058.

The application and claims are believed in condition for allowance in their amended form; allowance of Claims 21-26 is respectfully requested. If the Examiner believes that an interview would be helpful, the Examiner is requested to contact the attorney at the below listed number.

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